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MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

SHELBY SPRINGS DISTRICT—No. 2.				
A. B. Brown	28	28	26	27
D. J. Wilcox	28	28	27	26
HARTFORD DISTRICT—No. 3.				
A. T. Conrad	27	27	24	24
A. T. Coffman	27	26	25	22
W. F. Randerfer	27	26	25	22
MILWAUKEE STORE DISTRICT—No. 4.				
B. A. Storer	16	15	18	17
H. Woodward	17	16	14	16
HARTFORD DISTRICT—No. 5.				
J. L. Barger	8	9	10	10
C. W. Cobb	9	9	11	10
ELGIN DISTRICT—No. 6.				
J. M. McElroy	12	12	12	13
James Miller	12	11	11	12
HARTFORD DISTRICT—No. 7.				
A. B. Bennett	19	19	19	20
John F. Cooper	19	19	18	20
SHELBY SPRINGS DISTRICT—No. 8.				
Malvin Taylor	31	29	29	28
Samuel Austin	31	29	28	29
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John M. Leach	21	21	22	2
T. L. Allen	21	21	21	21
SHELBY SPRINGS DISTRICT—No. 10.				
John A. Bennett	6	6	6	6
K. W. Woodard	7	6	6	6
HARTLEY DISTRICT—No. 11.				
J. R. Yates	11	11	14	15
W. H. Williams	11	11	14	14



JNO. P. BARRETT, Editor.  
WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 12, 1877.

Pro Bond Public.

There are, in all localities, a class of people who seem to think that everything was created for their special benefit, and that they are not expected to share any of the burdens and responsibilities of a public nature. To make a town or community prosper, the citizens thereof must work together for the public good, and he who is so selfish, so mean as to refuse to contribute his quota for the general good; but ready to avail himself of the advantages, and gather the fruits of other men's labors, is unworthy the name of a man. His soul is so little, that if placed in the hollow of a mustard seed, filled with water, and allowing it that could swim as fast in proportion to size as a locomotive can run on a railroad, it would take that soul a thousand years to swim across the diameter of that mustard seed. Hartford has whole-souled, public spirited men, but not quite enough of them, and we are sorry to admit, she has several of that class who are developed and placed in reach by the enterprise of others. We had rather be a Carrion Crow, and subsist on the ravages of an intestine war in our own land, than to feel that we have never assisted in promoting the prosperity and public welfare of the community in which we lived. Everybody should become interested and labor for the good and prosperity of his section of country, for by so doing he promotes his own interests as well as that of his neighbors. Those who do nothing for the public good should surely expect no favors from the public, and ought not to receive any. They ought to be allowed to remain in their little shell of selfishness all alone, and patriotic, philanthropic men ought not to intrude upon them in a business way at least. We have no one in view in particular, and surely malice toward no body; but, if our town is ever to be anything, every man in it ought to see that hereafter at least he is not one of the class wanting in public enterprise.

The only regret we have in not being chosen a member of the next Legislature is, that we wanted to pass a law making it a felony for a man to be ever and eternally croaking about hard times. See a man from any part of the county, and ask him the news, and with an elongated countenance and a creaking voice, he responds—"Hard times, and was a comin'." Long faces, peevish grumblings and gloomy brows make hard times. This everlasting cant about hard times, and foreboding of evil for the future, makes times harder than they otherwise would be. It causes the miser to clutch his purse strings tighter, and it prevents the timid from putting into circulation money that otherwise would be changing hands, and renders business stagnant that would otherwise have an air of prosperity.

Give us men of cheerful, hopeful natures, with confidence in their own strong arms, and times will improve at once. Away with the croaker, ridicule him out of your community. Load your shot guns with cheerfulness, put on a cap of hopefulness, pull the trigger of energy, and give these chronic hard times a broad side that will wake them up and open their eyes that they may see aright. To conclude, the man who is continually murmuring "hard times," is an enemy to the prosperity and welfare of the community where he is allowed to exist—not live, for such an one has not a sufficient idea of life to know what living is, he merely exists.

Hon. Lytleton Cook.

Hon. Lytleton Cook, one of the Representatives elect from the city of Louisville, has large experience as a legislator; is a man of high culture and possessed of a thorough knowledge of parliamentary law; a gentleman of the genuine type, and a scholarly road man, a life-long Democrat true and tried. In a word, he has all the qualities of head and heart so necessary to a successful legislator. And amongst the many eminent gentlemen elected to the Kentucky Legislature, which is to meet first of January, no one is better equipped to preside over and dispatch the business of that honorable body than Lytleton Cook, and we take pleasure in suggesting his name for that highly responsible position.

We clip the above deserved compliment to Hon. Lytleton Cook from the Glasgow Times, and heartily endorse all that it contains. Among the members elect to the next House of Representatives, we know of no one better fitted by nature and education to preside over that body than the gentleman whose name heads this article. He has every quality of heart and brain to insure popularity, and we would select him as pre-eminently the man at this crisis to grace with ability this honorable position, and we know with his vast fund of parliamentary knowledge and practical good sense, that his rulings would be based upon justice and equality, and that no other selection would give greater satisfaction to the majority of the Kentucky Democracy.

The Prospect for the Democrats to Control the Next Senate

[Lexington Observer.]

Senator Patterson, of South Carolina, one of the gang of carpet bag thieves, has come to grief at last. He has been indicted by the courts, which places him between two fires. If he goes back to stand his trial he has a fair prospect to serve the State in the penitentiary, instead of the Senate, if he refuses to go, he will have to stand investigation by a Congressional committee, with a good show of being bounced out of the Senate. The chances are between the two that the country will be rid of a thief, and the State be misrepresents will have a chance to elect a citizen of her own to represent her, instead of importing such cattle as him from the slums of some northern State, to plunder her coffers and blacken her fair name.

The planet Mars has two moons, according to the late discoveries of Dr. Draper and Professor Holden. Dark flights surely never were the happiness of lovers on that delightful world, as they always have moon-light nights in which to promenade and breathe sweet words of love.

Mr. John Duggan, formerly editor of the Farmer's Home Journal, has accepted a position as agricultural editor of the Daily Courier Journal. He is a man well fitted for this position. He will also commence the publication of a monthly on the 1st of October, the title of which will be "Farmer's Magazine."

We can very plainly see Ziba's tracks all over the "Railway Mail." In fact, we could tell that he was about "that" even if we did not know he was connected with it. You'd better reckon it's a spicy little sheet, published at No. 80, Fifth street, Louisville.

Bottom Rail Getting on Top.

California went Democratic last Tuesday, and chose a Legislature that will be Democratic on joint ballot by a majority of 38. This is another Democratic United States Senator secured.

The following is the official vote of the State for State Treasurer at the August election: James W. Tate, (Dem.) 96,824; S. F. Traube, (Ind.) 21,018. Tate's majority, 75,806.

The Louisville Exposition opened last week under very favorable prospects. The general feeling is that it will far exceed in interest any of the preceding exhibitions held in Louisville.

The Henderson Reporter has "put on" city airs and sent out a supplement with the last issue. That office must be doing a Banking business.

Brigham Young, the much married President of the Latter Day Saints, is dead. He was getting quite old; but, strange to say, the large number of wives made widows by his demise, each and every one of them are Young widows.

Brigham Young, the Mormon leader, died on the 29th inst. He was born at Whitingham, Vermont, June 1st, 1801, and has been President of the Mormon church since the death of Josiah Smith in 1844.

Why don't somebody start the Murphy movement in Hartford? "Put," where are you, that you do not help your name-ake, Francis, in his great enterprise by building one of his Societies here?

The Keely motor is about to prove a success after all. A very successful public test was given at Philadelphia recently.

The working men of Louisville repudiated Blanton Duncan as a leader and his paper as an organ.

Brigham Young was the father of fifty-six children, and left seventeen wives, sixteen sons, and twenty-eight daughters.

"Had have," is the way the Winchester Chronicle puts it.

Attention Merchants.

Warren S. Pate, the popular and liberal salesman of the great clothing house of Stix, Kruse & Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, has opened out a complete line of samples of clothing of every variety at the Louisville Hotel, and will remain thirty days. Because of my ability to sell cheaper than clothing merchants of Louisville, and in consequence of having had remarkable success in selling in Louisville by sample, a tax of 200 dollars has been imposed upon me for the privilege of selling there thus thinking to shut me out, and force merchants to buy of Louisville men, but, rest assured, I will be on hand and sell goods cheaper than ever before, and I call on all my old customers to stand by me, and solicit the favors of as many new ones as may see this advertisement. I will be there during the entire month of September and part of October, and will sell, I have to sell at or below cost. Do not fail to look at my line of samples, as it costs you nothing, and you will thereby see for yourselves whether I am not able to sell you better goods for less money than you can get elsewhere. Remember the place—Louisville Hotel.

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J. S. VOGHT.

Rockport Times.

The handle factory is not a thing

merely on paper, but a reality actually

and running. Can hear the buzz of the saws all day long.

Mr. T. Bentley will shortly move his stock of dry goods from Nelson Creek Station to this place, and start business in the house formerly occupied by W. A. Bentley.

Mr. J. Kahn will open up a heavy stock of goods in Greenville about the 25th of September. His stock here will be closed out regardless of cost.

Miss Mattie Harris, of Muhlenberg county, is here, visiting her sister Mrs. Dr. Brown.

Our school is going on. Mr. Harper, teacher, assisted by his wife. There is a good attendance, and great interest manifested by both teachers and pupils.

Mr. H. J. Young has bought a lot in this place from Mr. Anderson, of Central 32x135 feet for \$200. Can any of our neighboring towns beat this sale these hard times? I am told he intends building a brick store house. I hope some of us will awake from our tip Vain Winkle sleep, and build houses like we intended to stay here and make a town.

There is said to be a panther in the vicinity of the Richmond Mines. It has been seen by several citizens, and shot at once. Mr. Thad. Baker has been over with his dogs, but they refuse to run it, and as there is no fun to him in a hunt without his hounds "let out," he left in disgust.

Jim Barrett assaulted Ben Gary a few days ago, in the bottom above town, and clubbed him pretty severely over the head. Barrett was arrested and fined \$3.

I regret to inform you that James Torrence, of this place, died September 6, at 2 o'clock, after a long illness. He has passed peacefully and calmly away. Faded as fades the leaf. All who knew him loved him. He has left abundant testimony of the power of redeeming love.

TAMER.

Wilson's Mills.

WILSON'S MILLS, Sept. 7, 1877.

Editor Herald: We hear reports from every quarter of much sickness. We are happy to chronicle the fact that the same is not true with regard to this neighborhood; neither are we bothered with that pest, the hog cholera as yet, and from present indications we may calculate on pretty plenty of hog and hominy for another year at least.

Our people are generally industrious, sober, genial, hospitable, peaceable, and we might add upon the whole, a church going people. Rev. Jos. Bennett, of the Caneyville circuit, preached at New Baynes on the first Sunday in this month, (which is his regular day here) to a large and appreciative audience. Subject: Faith, Hope, and Charity. The subject might be said to be old, yet it was very interesting.

You may write about your beauties from Haynesville or elsewhere, but if you will just come over to New Baynes, on meeting day, you will simply be dumfounded, if you are any judge of beauty. The Misses Acton, Misses Bennett the Misses Wedding are beauties rare to be found. Miss Mary Hale Wedding is undoubtedly the queen beauty of all this Green river country. But we are running away. However, it is a true saying that out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh, although such writing is not expected of L. N. QUINN.

Agricultural Notes.

The following sensible article on this subject is so practical and pointed and true, that we clip it from the columns of the Yeoman and offer it as our own sentiment in stronger and more terse language than we can express it.

Among the great auxiliaries to the development of a country, a chief agency is found in the annual fair. Nothing contributes more to the social and physical strength of a community, than the annual fair invited by these periods. The exhibits of products of the soil, of live stock, and of articles of manufacture, are all calculated to encourage investments, labor, and genius. The success of one man in any particular branch of industry is sure to impel another man to greater exertion, and society at large becomes the beneficiary. Experience, which is by far the best teacher, has shown that in sections of the country where these fairs have been held for any length of time, the farms are more productive, the farmers more prosperous, the breeds of stock finer, mechanics more active, and every branch of industry and art in better condition, than in sections where such annual meetings are not held.

It not only educates, refines, and improves a people in all other respects, but it is sure to enrich them pecuniarily. People never appreciate the advantages of their surroundings until this process of development begins, and the avenues of advancement and profit are laid bare to them. Emulation is the principal agency by which a country becomes either poor or prosperous. Examples of industry or indolence are alike to be followed, and many persons in any community. One good man who thrives by his own exertion, and who manifests any public spirit, is apt to stimulate his whole neighborhood, and becomes the foundation of its success.

We favor the support of every fair in the state, and we hope that instead of decreasing in number, as they have been doing, it will appear to the advantage of every county to hold an annual exhibition of its industries and products.

Ho! for the Exposition.

The Paducah and Elizabethtown Rail Road Company will sell round trip tickets at Beaver Dam on Mondays and Wednesdays for \$7.75. The Monday's tickets good to return on until Saturday, and the Wednesday's tickets good until the next Monday. They will sell round trip tickets to Cecil Junction every day at \$4.95, good for ten days. Tickets sold at other offices at corresponding prices. Now is your chance to go cheap.

Ladies' and gent's hats, latest styles, at

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A Dream.

BY HENRI.

"I slept and dreamed that life was beauty. I woke and found that life was duty."

Being weary in body and mind, I threw myself upon my couch and soon Morpheus threw his fascinating charms about me and swiftly bore me to the land of visions.

I beheld life arrayed in all its beauty as the misty veils of the future seemed drawn aside.

I saw many persons wandering o'er the broad fields of space, trying to gather in from "Flora's jeweled casket" the richest gems—joy and gladness.

Youthful buoyancy in the horizon of life, is ever tinged with golden dreams of beauty; fancy paints upon the canvass of futurity, glowing colors—but alas, how often it is, they are never realized!

I saw myriads of radiant beings, fair brow, beauty and happiness beamed from their countenances, and it seemed as if every thought was pure and heavenly. I dreamed that if their food-tastes were realized, they would glide o'er the arena of life like the gentle moon beams, shedding rays of love, kindness, and beauty on all surrounding objects.

There was in the happy company I saw those of all ages, the innocent children as well as those of mature life. It seemed to me that the "Pearly Gates" would indeed be thrown open upon their entrance to Heaven. Sweet zephyrs of every clime played among each leaf of nature, and flowers diffusing sweet odors bled idly to the soft music of the murmuring fountains. The rays of the bright rising sun penetrated through the casement still damp with Lunar dewy tears and awoke me to find that all was a dream; and I heard a "still small voice" echoing through the dim aisles of the past: "Human pilgrimage is not a dream."

Life is real as well as earnest, but we should realize that we are travelers on the sands of time, and that life has duty as well as beauty, and that jewels were not made to be concealed in the casket forever. It is an undeniable fact, that without the performances of our important duties, we will neither have wealth, fame, nor honor. The battle of life has to be fought, and if not courageous and armed, to proceed forward, our names will never be enrolled upon the records of times honored chronicles. We can not live by inaction, Newton, who wrote his name among the stars, did not. Washington was a man of action or he would never have liberated his country from the chains of oppression.

It will not do for us to imagine that our pathway through life will be a smooth and flowery road, if we do, we will find in the journey that we often rise to mountain tops and again descend into the valley. Our life is like the heathens sky studded o'er with starry gems, but before we have time to admire it, a flash from heaven's artillery covers the blue concave. The cup of joy is mixed with sorrow all along the stream of human life.

Thus it was that I dreamed in youth that life was beauty, but I awoke in mature life and found that life is duty.

BEAVER DAM, SEP. 3, 1877.

HARTFORD, KY., Sept. 8.

GEN. JOHN S. WILLIAMS—Dear Sir:—We have been justly accredited and authorized by the Ohio County Fair Company to extend to you the privileges of our next annual fair, which commences the 23rd of October next, and will continue five days, coupled with a request that you will favor our said company and your fellow-citizens generally, of this county with an address on the subject of agriculture and mechanical interests upon a day best suited to your convenience.

By your acceptance of and compliance with this request, you will confer a favor on our said company and your fellow-citizens of this county.

We are personally, and in behalf of said company, very respectfully, your obedient servants.

JOHN P. BARRETT, } Committee.  
C. HARDWICK, }  
R. S. MOSELEY. }

Horse Branch Letter.

HORSE BRANCH, KY., Sept. 9.

Everything is quiet around here.

Dr. M. W. Davall was thrown from his horse last Friday and was badly hurt. His friends don't think there is any chance for his recovery. Drs. Rains and Goff think there is a little hope for his recovery yet. He has many friends and is well thought of by all who know him.

A little boy of John E. Ferguson was climbing after a squirrel last Friday, and fell about fifty or sixty feet and broke his arm in two places. (While climbing after squirrels, little boys.)

The school commenced at Salem Sept. 24, under the control of Miss Sarah Heavens, the number of scholars being twenty-five the first day. Very good for District No. 31.

We want Mr. Rowe to come up and give us a lecture before cold weather comes on.

X. Y. Z.

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Sulphur Springs, Fordville, Haynesville and Pellville leaves every Thursday at 6 p. m., and arrives Saturday at 3 p. m.

The Cleveland mail, via Belds, Bedford, Pleasant Ridge and Masonville leaves on Tuesday and Friday at 7 a. m., and arrives Monday and Thursday at 6 p. m.

The Centertown mail arrives at 10 a. m., and departs at 11 a. m. Wednesday. C. J. LAWTON, Postmaster.

General Local News.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 12, 1877.

J. W. Ford is agent for the Dorman Rubber Stamp.

Blanton Duncan's daily, the "Worker," has quit working.

Edward & Foster have just received 1,000 lbs. of bacon.

John K. Williams, here's to you for those excellent cigars.

Edward & Foster have just received a full stock of groceries, confectioneries, &c. &c.

H. M. McCarty of the Elizabethtown News, is a candidate for Door Keeper of the next Senate.

If you want to cut a sensible caper subscribe at once for your county paper, to January 1st, 1878 for 50 cts.

Misses Ellen and Nellie Taylor, of this place, left last Friday morning, to visit relatives in Union county.

J. C. Thomas & Bro. keep on hand the largest and best assorted stock of saddles, harness, &c., in town.

Call and get your new, fine suit from V. P. Adlington, out of his splendid stock of new nice cassimeres.

DIED—Saturday, September 8, 1877, Forester, infant daughter of Henry and Margaret A. Hunt, aged 9 months.

If you want to avoid great peril, subscribe at once for the Hartford Herald, from now to 1st January 1878 for 50 cts.

Mrs. L. J. Lyon, of the Lyon House, and her daughter May, returned home last Saturday from a visit to Cave City, Kentucky.

The election in Maine last Monday, went largely Republican as usual, Conner was re-elected governor by about 8,000 plurality.

The editor, typist, and "devil" tender Jas. T. Moore, clerk of the Hartford House, their thanks for a large roll of very choice Havana cigars.

Our better half is from home now, visiting friends and relatives in the Liberty church neighborhood, but she'll be back much longer very suddenly.

Hardwick & Nall are receiving a fine lot of clothing direct from manufacturers in Philadelphia, which they will sell low for cash. Call and examine them.

That pretty little story on our first page about R. Clay Crawford and Osman Pasha is all spoiled, as it turns out to be a mistake, Osman being a native of Asia Minor.

Our office was honored by a visit from Miss Sallie Kahn, of Cromwell, last week. We found her to be quite a pleasant, agreeable and intelligent young lady.

Mr. J. B. Stevens an old and respected citizen a few miles north of town is quite low with dropsy of the heart. Mr. Ed. B. Ellis is still very low, but with little hope of recovery.

The serenading party of last Tuesday night return their thanks to Miss Maggie King for the hospitable manner in which they were treated—choice apples and pears, cream and peaches, cake, Kelly Island W—well, this is sufficient.

Mr. Henry Small of the famous Trade Palace, left for Louisville last Wednesday. Uncle Henry is the jolliest old man alive. He left our handsome young relative, Mr. Grom Williams behind the counter while he was gone. He returned yesterday.

The Apostles of the Mormon Church, and J. W. Young and D. H. Wells, late counselors of Brigham Young, have held a caucus with the Lord, and according to their published circular, the Lord has named John Taylor as Brigham's successor.

Mr. Henry Harrison, of Calhoun, Ky., representing the firm of J. T. Welch & Co., called to see us last Saturday and left his name and money for a copy of the Herald. We hope that many of our old friends of McLean county will follow suit.

We are again for the hundredth time probably placed under obligation to Mr. H. K. Wells, of Millwood. This time, as once before, it is for a box of nice, juicy, luscious, ripe peaches. We have no language adequate to express our appreciation of those little favors, and kindnesses we have from time to time received at his hands. His soul is as large as a meeting house. Many, many thanks to Mr. Wells. May you live long and die happy.

Upon Receiving a Beautiful Bouquet.  
How sweet to know, on life's desert plain,  
An oasis nestled 'mid the burning sand;  
Three flowers bloom, and die, but bloom again,  
And perpetual summer smiles upon the land.  
And there, amid the casual leaves,  
The fragrant air and gray hued flowers,  
An angel, pure as the sweetest of breath,  
Wanders, as a dream, in the golden bowers.  
A silent stream bathes the bounding trees,  
Like a dark blue ribbon, edged with gold,  
And sparkles, as the balmy breeze  
Ripples its breast, as it onward rolls.  
And there, along that fairy stream,  
Her laughing eyes have charmed the flowers  
Till the dimpled hand of my fond heart's queen  
Had coiled the buds from the bounding bowers.  
And bound them, in their loveliness,  
With cunning hands and cheeks aglow,  
And gave them me, oh, exulting bliss  
With the emblem of purity—a ribbon of snow.  
L. B.

The Fair at Cynthiana cleared \$1,300. Let us see if the Ohio County Fair can't beat it. What do you say?

Master Henry McHenry left last week for Louisville, where he will remain for a while as a pupil in the high school.

Mr. T. F. Johnson, of Wilson's Mills vicinity, brought us a sample of his German millet last week. It is decidedly the best we have seen.

Oh, if you want to act with sense, just send us in your 50 cents, and have the Herald sent to you, until this year has gone clear through.

Baked pork and beans in cans, delicious and economical for family luncheon excursions, &c., at

EDWARDS & FOSTER'S.

WANTED—To secure the use of a good saddle horse for about two months at a reasonable rate. Good care will be taken of the horse and the use will be very moderate. JOHN P. BARRETT.

Mr. W. M. Stone, conductor on the train from Cecilina to Louisville, is one of the most accommodating and attentive conductors we have ever met. He is the right man in the right place.

If Samuel Gates has got some brains, it is not polite, for him to make light of the poetry we write. AMERICA.

Wm. Conab, of Bartlett's precinct, killed ten rattle snakes in one day, not long since, on the Hawesville and Hartford road. It wasn't a good day for snakes or he might have "yanked" in a few more.

The marriage of Mr. Drake to Miss Fowl took place one day last week in the upper portion of the county, and our Satanic Majesty remarks that they will soon begin the rearing of young poultry, as the nest egg has been "rot."

If you are unfortunate enough to get burned, scalded or cut yourself severely, do not delay, but go at once to Z. Wayne Griffin and procure a bottle of Crooke's Electric Oil, which will give you speedy relief and an early cure. Only 25 cents a bottle.

I will preach the funeral of Mrs. Arnold at Mount Olivet, on the fourth Sunday in September, at 11 o'clock a. m. On Saturday previous to the fourth Sunday, at 7 o'clock, I will preach at the same place.

REV. GEORGE W. LEACH.

Mr. M. J. Reid, of Rockport, spent last Sabbath in town. By the way it has been a mooted question as to what "Bob's" religious proclivities were, but it is generally conceded now by those who know him best that he has an inclination to become a "Millerite."

"And they say G. M. Rowe & Co., at Centertown has got one of them mammoth stocks too." "Well I don't know about the mammoth stocks that they always get from the east, but George M. has got a lot of new goods, and a little money will get a lot of them."

Squirrels are becoming very plentiful in our forests and some of them even design to get into the corn fields occasionally, whereupon our devil shot off.

Squirrels are the prettiest birds, I've seen since I was born; They come into the new ground fields, And eat up all the corn.

We have a curiosity in our office, brought to us by Mr. Thos. H. Crawford, of Sulphur Springs. It is a conglomerated mass of pebbles thrown together in shape like a hornets nest. It is nothing unusual to see conglomerated pebbles, but as we are at a loss to explain how this got itself into this peculiar shape.

"One by one the roses fall," and one by one the number of Carpenters in Hartford decrease. By reference to our last issue it will be seen that one of them concluded to be a Carpenter no longer, and has embarked in the housekeeping business, in partnership with Mr. McGhee.

Mr. S. Schneider, of the popular firm of Bear Bro. & Co., has just returned from the Eastern markets, where he purchased one of the largest and best assorted stocks of clothing, dry goods, &c. ever brought to this market. They are now receiving and opening them. Give them a call.

As an evidence of the fact that horse racing is not looked upon by the religious world now in the same light it was a few years back, we find the following posted up by the steward of the Methodist church in Hartford, on the 24th of September: Ten Brooks' time: 1 mile, 1:39; 2 miles, 3:27; 3 miles, 5:26; 4 miles 7:15.

The Trained Animals.

A characteristic feature of the European Show is the trained animal department. It embraces the greatest number and variety of trained animals ever seen in any exhibition, comprising trained lions, tigers, leopards, hyenas, giraffe, elephants, camels, horses, ponies, dogs, goats and monkeys, all of which have been brought to a degree of perfection bordering on the marvelous. Exhibits at Hartford, Saturday, September 22d.

Hartford, Monday, September 24th, Livestock, Tuesday, September 25th. Do not miss the opportunity of seeing it.

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LOUISVILLE INDUSTRIAL EXPOSITION  
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The Art Gallery will contain Masterpieces of the Foreign and American Studios, and present the finest contribution to Art ever exhibited in the West or South.

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The Fire Fiend.

On last Wednesday evening just after night-fall, the residence of Mr. Jo B. Bennett, of No Creek, was discovered to be on fire. All efforts to put it out were unavailing. The house and near outbuildings were a total loss. The furniture, &c., in the family room and parlor, was principally saved, but all the balance was lost, including provisions and a lot of wheat. Mr. Bennett is one of the best men in our community, and is now seventy-two years old with a family to care for and he the only male person in the family. He was burned out once before about seventeen years ago. He is now disabled by paralysis, involved financially, and deserves the help of his neighbors and friends. It is proper to say that his financial troubles on side of this misfortune, grew out of his liberality as a public spirited man. Will not everybody help him a little. We write this without consulting with him. His loss is full \$3,000. Old, infirm, no help, no money, unable to work himself, no where to live, will not liberal hearted men in this county help him some? He has always been willing to help the needy and unfortunate when able, which has been nearly all his life.

We are poor and hard run as all newspaper men are, but we will start the list with \$5.00. Who will follow suit. Do not delay, for winter is coming on, and he ought to have help to build a house at once. It is supposed that the house caught from a spark falling back after leaving the top of the chimney.

Ben Nole's Ride.

Mr. Nole, Mr. U. A. Holges, Dr. Faught and Charles Wallace led him to Mr. James Drake's melon patch where Mr. W. A. Wallace, Geo. Martin and Drake were watching for them. All understood what was up, but Nole, and Wallace, when Drake, Martin, and Wallace fired on them. All run, and Nole made for his horse and aimed to out loose all the horses but failed to have a knife. He aimed to unhitch his horse but could not, and jerked the top of a bush out to get him loose. He mounted and lit out, for he had no time to spare, as Drake, Martin and Wallace were close after him. He was three miles from home, and made it in just seven minutes, over the roughest road in Kentucky. The water-melon rogue is broken of sucking eggs. He was the worst scared man I ever saw. Stewartsville, Ky. G. W. M.

Happy Papa.

A young lady came to the residence of our County Judge, W. F. Gregory, last Saturday evening. The Judge had offered her a home under his roof. She was rather scantily dressed but has been dressed by the family in the height of fashion. Although not entirely grown she was furnished long dresses. The Judge was so elated over the accession to his household, that he came down town and wanted to whip our popular grocerman, E. T. Williams. The Judge has an abhorrence of anything to eat or drink, but upon an occasion like this he had to visit all the restaurants, saloons &c., and "set em up," and when he had completed the circuit, and started for home, our special artist met him and took a miniature sketch of his manly form and here it is, a fac simile, too.

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This Sept. 3, 1877.

R. A. WARD, Executor of Ezekiah Ward.

Fresh Meats.

I will have nice fresh meats, mutton, beef, bologna and all other kinds of sausage, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday morning at my shop, which I will sell as cheap as can be gotten anywhere in town.

LOUIS KENNERLY.

A Terrible Mistake.

We learn from Mr. L. W. Gates, of Calhoun, who reached here yesterday evening, that Mr. A. J. Aver, of Calhoun, by mistake took on yesterday morning a dose of strychnine, thinking it was quinine. Mr. Gates left a short time after the mistake occurred, and hence we do not know how it will terminate, but the impression was, that he could be saved. We hope so.

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We Import Direct from Potteries all our China-ware, and sell it as Cheap as it can be Bought anywhere. A large stock of Tinware and Hardware constantly kept in store.

We regret to record the death of Mrs. Atha Cox, which occurred at her home in Owensboro recently. She was the only daughter of Mr. Steele, of our town, and was a very amiable woman. She leaves a husband and two children.

Dialogue.

(Scene, Hartford House—Time, last week—Young man badly struck—Starting at object of attraction—Beautiful young lady observing the gaze of the young man. Don't sit staring at me in that way, if you love me just say so, or if you are too bashful to tell me so just squeeze my hand Y. M. jumping up and going towards Y. L. Well, just hold her out here and if I squeeze as hard as I love, there won't be a whole bone left in it.

I box of fresh lemons at

E. T. WILLIAMS'.

Counterfeiters.

We learn from good authority that the notorious counterfeiter John Evans, who was arrested and held in bond by U. S. Commissioner, G. C. Weddell, and gave bond and "vanished" has been arrested and is now in jail in Owensboro.

We learn that Mr. Paul Morgan was arrested in Owensboro one day last week for passing counterfeit silver. We have not heard the particulars, but hope he is innocent of any wrong in the matter.

School books of every variety and kind at

FORD'S.

The Largest Yet.

Mr. Thomas Hamilton, living about eight miles below town, in the direction of Calhoun, brought to our office a lot of his present crop of tobacco. It is more than half cured, and measured 2 1/2 inches wide and 41 inches long, allowing shrinkage for curing, as other leaves in our office have shrunk, and we estimate that it was 30x45 inches when green. Let our exchanges dry up about big tobacco. This leaf has been measured by more than twenty different persons.

Colt Shot.

Persons wishing to compete for the premium offered by V. B. Morton and S. S. Stahl, will have their stock at the Fair Grounds, in Hartford on Saturday, Oct. 27, 1877. Premium, \$10.

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